

# Adult Education & Literacy Calendar

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Date	Description	Time/Location	Contact
June 15 – July 17, 2015	<p><b>Self-Regulated Learning</b></p> <p>LINCS facilitated, asynchronous, online course</p> <p><i>Approximately 2 hours per week for a month</i></p> <p>Participants are expected to read and post at least once in each of the course discussion forums; submit the required journal activities; watch recorded presentations, read the background readings and resource pages of the course; set a goal for their professional growth; and complete assignments and the final evaluation. Participants must successfully complete course requirements to receive a certificate of completion. For more information on Self-Regulated Learning click <a href="#">here</a>.</p> <p>For Math with Amy Vickers, register <a href="#">here</a>. For Writing with Kathy St. John, register <a href="#">here</a>.</p>	Online	<a href="#">Dianna Barcich</a>
July 15-17 2015	<p><b>Iowa AEL/COBE Institute 2015 Conference</b></p> <p><a href="#">Information</a></p>	Scheman Building ISU Campus Ames, IA	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
July 27 – August 21, 2015	<p><b>Formative Assessment</b></p> <p>LINCS facilitated, asynchronous, online course</p> <p><i>Approximately 2 hours per week for a month</i></p> <p>Participants are expected to read and post at least once in each of the course discussion forums; submit the required journal activities; watch recorded presentations, read the background readings and resource pages of the course; set a goal for their professional growth; and complete assignments and the final evaluation. Participants must successfully complete course requirements to receive a certificate of completion. For more information on Formative Assessment click <a href="#">here</a>.</p> <p>For Math with Brooke Istas, register <a href="#">here</a>. For Writing with Kathy St. John, register <a href="#">here</a>.</p>	Online	

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July 30 2015	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Career Pathways Study Circle</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>This training is specific to Adult Basic Education and Career Pathways Coordinators at our Iowa Community Colleges</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Three sessions including:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Building Strategic Partnerships &amp; Engaging Employers</b> <i>link available via email on July 30, 2015</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Developing Effective Bridging Program &amp; Designing Contextualized Instruction</b> <i>link available September 8, 2015</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Career Counseling and Planning</b> <i>link available October 1, 2015</i></p> <p>The Iowa Department of Education, along with LINCS (Literacy Information and Communication System) and the experts from the Moving Pathways Forward initiative are designing a Community College specific Professional Development opportunity to advance your Career Pathways activities as we move toward WIOA implementation.</p> <p>This pilot project is designed to provide in-depth information on the key components of a career pathways local system to assist you in developing a Career Pathway Plan and process for implementing career pathways in your program. The development of your plan will be addressed through an incremental, self-paced process with facilitated on-line study forums and a formation of a “community of practice” to share thoughts, questions and progress.</p> <p>Participation should include a team of <i>at least these 3 individuals</i> from each participating ABE program The Adult Basic Education <i>Coordinator</i>, the lead PACE <i>Navigator</i> and the lead <i>instructor</i> are essential to form a team for your Career Pathway Program. Additional individuals may participate such as an</p>	Self-Directed Training	<a href="#">Mike Williams</a> 515-725-2005

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	<p>ESL instructor. Total participation from all colleges should not exceed 30 participants. Ideally, at least one-half of the colleges will choose to participate in this pilot project. Your participation will promote further replication or planning.</p> <p>The objectives/goals for this professional development will be to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop a well-defined Career Pathway plan, through on-line sessions and interactive community of practice participation that cohesively engages all stakeholders.</li> <li>• Provide an easy step-by-step forum to prepare your Career Pathway plan as you navigate each of the Career Pathway Components.</li> <li>• Assist you in implementation of your Career Pathway plan.</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Register Here</a></p>		
August 11, 2015	<p><b>Integration and Alignment Launch</b></p> <p>This will review the recently hosted "Customer-Centered Design...implementing WIOA" by DOL on July 29. This training introduces a team learning approach that can be done between coordinators and/or between WIOA partners to work together utilizing a human-centered design process to address some guided "design challenges" for WIOA implementation. This project will involve five phases:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The launch – August 11, 2015</li> <li>2) The class – August 20-October 22, 2015</li> <li>3) Experimentation and Prototyping – November – February 2016</li> <li>4) Learning Exchange and Celebration – April 2016</li> <li>5) Peer Mentoring – April 2016</li> </ol>	<p>1-2:00pm join from PC, Mac, iOS or Android: <a href="https://IDOE.zoom.us/j/742380143">https://IDOE.zoom.us/j/742380143</a></p> <p>Or join by phone: +1 646 568 7788 (US Toll) or +1 415 762 9988 (US Toll) Meeting ID: 742 380 143</p> <p>International numbers available: <a href="https://IDOE.zoom.us/j/zoomconference">https://IDOE.zoom.us/j/zoomconference</a></p>	<p><a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640</p>

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August 19, 2015	<p><b>HiSET Testing Integrity Workshop</b></p> <p>During this workshop, attendees will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gain a basic understanding of the business of test security.</li> <li>• Review and learn about best practices for preventing security violations.</li> <li>• Review guidelines and best security practices for pre- and test day administration.</li> <li>• Understand test center security audits purpose and process.</li> </ul> <p>Specific scenarios discussing most frequent issues in test security will be discussed, as well as the test center's role and responsibility in reporting incidences, and what to expect from HiSET once an incident or infraction is reported.</p> <p>Participants are asked to bring their own laptop, lunch, and snacks</p> <p><a href="#">Register Here</a></p>	10:00 am – 4:00 pm 400 E 14 <sup>th</sup> Street Grimes Bldg. B100 Des Moines	<a href="#">Mike Williams</a> 515-725-2005
August 20 2015	<p><b>New Coordinator Workshop</b></p> <p>Topics for this meeting include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Program Targets</li> <li>• Data</li> <li>• WIOA Transition</li> <li>• Fiscal Claims</li> <li>• Program Monitoring</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Agenda</a></p> <p><a href="#">Register Here by August 14, 2015</a></p>	10:00 am – 4:00 pm 400 E. 14 <sup>th</sup> St., Grimes Bldg., B-100 Des Moines, IA	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640

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August 20 – October 22, 2015	<p><b>Design Kit: The Course for Human Centered Design*</b></p> <p>A seven-week curriculum that will introduce you to the concepts of human-centered design and how this approach can be used to create innovative, effective, and sustainable solutions for social change. This course has been created to reach those who are brand new to human-centered design, so no prior experience required.</p> <p>*Required for Integration and Alignment State PD</p> <p><a href="#">Registration Link</a></p>	Online	<p><a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640</p>
September 10 and 11, 2015	<p><b>Adult Numeracy Institute (ANI) Institute I</b></p> <p><b>Lunch provided</b></p> <p><a href="#">Registration link</a></p>	<p>8:30am-4:30pm 400 E14th Street Grimes Bld. #B50 Des Moines, IA</p>	<p><a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640</p>
September 2015	<p><b>Deeper Learning Through Questioning</b></p> <p>LINCS facilitated, asynchronous, online course</p> <p>Approximately 2 hours per week for a month</p> <p>Participants are expected to read and post at least once in each of the course discussion forums; submit the required journal activities; watch recorded presentations, read the background readings and resource pages of the course; set a goal for their professional growth; and complete assignments and the final evaluation. Participants must successfully complete course requirements to receive a certificate of completion. For more information on Deeper Learning through Questioning click here.</p>	Online	

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	Registration coming soon.		
September 15 2015	<b>Site Visit</b> Iowa Central Community College	ICCC	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
September 30, 2015	<b>ETS Training/New Writing Exam Workshop</b>  This workshop will cover: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New writing text expectations</li> <li>• Any rubric changes</li> <li>• Provide guidance on the process</li> <li>• Include time to address any questions</li> </ul> <a href="#">Register Here</a>	9:00am to 12:00pm  Iowa Western Community College Continuing Education 2700 College Rd. Council Bluffs, IA Rooms 006/008 - Looft Hall	<a href="#">Mike Williams</a> 515-725-2005  Terri Amaral 712-325-3267
October 1, 2015	<b>ETS Training/ New Writing Exam</b>  This workshop will cover: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New writing text expectations</li> <li>• Any rubric changes</li> <li>• Provide guidance on the process</li> <li>• Include time to address any questions</li> </ul> <a href="#">Register Here</a>	9:00am to 12:00pm  Iowa Department of Education Grimes Building Lower Floor-Room B100	<a href="#">Mike Williams</a> 515-725-2005
October 1 and 2, 2015	<b>Iowa STAR Institute I</b>  <i>Lunch Provided</i>	8:30 am – 4:30 pm 400 E. 14 <sup>th</sup> St., Grimes Bldg., B-50 Des Moines, IA	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640

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October 2, 2015	<p><b>ETS Training/ New Writing Exam</b></p> <p>This workshop will cover:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New writing text expectations</li> <li>• Any rubric changes</li> <li>• Provide guidance on the process</li> <li>• Include time to address any questions</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Register Here</a></p>	<p>9:00am to 12:00pm</p> <p>Eastern Iowa Community College West Davenport Center 2950 Fairmount Street Davenport, IA</p>	<p>Mike Williams 515-725-2005</p> <p>Jen Schueller 563-326-5319</p>
October 7, 2015	<p><b>Desktop Monitoring</b></p> <p>Indian Hills Community College</p>	<p>10:30am -12:00pm Conference Call 2NW – Grimes Bldg</p>	<p><a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640</p>
October 7, 2015	<p><b>Desktop Monitoring</b></p> <p>Kirkwood Community College</p>	<p>1:00pm-2:30 Conference Call 2NW – Grimes Bldg</p>	<p><a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640</p>
October 14, 2015	<p><b>SIA 2.0 Webinar</b></p> <p><a href="#">Register Here</a></p>	<p>Online 1-2:00pm</p>	<p><a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640</p>
October 20 and 21, 2015	<p><b>SIA 2.0 Institute I</b></p> <p><i>Lunch provided</i></p>	<p>9:00 am to 3:30 pm TBD</p>	<p><a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640</p>

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October 22, 2015	<b>Site Visit</b> Iowa Western Community College	IWCC	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
November 4, 2015	<b>Site Visit</b> Hawkeye Community College	HCC	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
November 9 - 10, 2015	<b>Adult Numeracy Institute (ANI) Institute II</b> <i>Lunch provided</i> <a href="#">Registration link</a>	TBD	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
November 12, 2015	<b>Desktop Monitoring</b> Des Moines Area Community College	10:30am – 12:00pm Conference Call 2NW – Grimes Bldg	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
November 12 and 13, 2015	<b>Iowa STAR Institute II</b> <i>Lunch Provided</i>	8:30 am – 4:30 pm 400 E. 14 <sup>th</sup> St., Grimes Bldg., B-100  Des Moines, IA	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
November 20, 2015	<b>Desktop Monitoring</b>	10:30am – 12:00pm Conference Call 2NW – Grimes Bldg	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640



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	Southwestern Community College		
December 2, 2015	<b>Desktop Monitoring</b> Southeast Iowa Community College	10:30am – 12:00pm Conference Call 2NW – Grimes Bldg	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
December 2, 2015	<b>Desktop Monitoring</b> Iowa Valley Community College	1:00pm- 2:30pm Conference Call 2NW – Grimes Bldg	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
December 15, 2015	<b>Desktop Monitoring</b> Eastern Iowa Community College	10:30am – 12:00pm Conference Call 2NW – Grimes Bldg	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
January 7, 2016	<b>Desktop Monitoring</b> Northwest Iowa Community College	10:30am – 12:00pm Conference Call 2NW – Grimes Bldg	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
January 29, 2016	<b>Desktop Monitoring</b> Western Iowa Technical Community College	10:30am – 12:00pm Conference Call 2NW – Grimes Bldg	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
January 29, 2016	<b>Desktop Monitoring</b> Northeast Iowa Community College	1:00pm – 2:30pm Conference Call 2NW – Grimes Bldg	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640

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February 10, 2016	<b>SIA 2.0 Institute II Webinar</b> <a href="#">Registration</a>	Online 1-2:00pm	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
February 25 and 26, 2016	<a href="#">SIA 2.0 Institute II</a> <i>Lunch provided</i> <b>Registration link</b>	9:00 am to 3:30 pm 400 E. 14 <sup>th</sup> St., Grimes Bldg., B-100 Des Moines, IA	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
March 7 and 8, 2016	<b>Adult Numeracy Institute (ANI) Institute III</b> <i>Lunch provided</i> <a href="#">Registration link</a>	TBD	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
March 23, 2016	<b>Site Visit</b> North Iowa Area Community College	NIACC	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
March 31 and April 1, 2016	<b>Iowa STAR Institute III</b> <i>Lunch Provided</i>	8:30 am – 4:30 pm 400 E. 14 <sup>th</sup> St., Grimes Bldg., B-100 Des Moines, IA	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
April 5, 2016	<b>Site Visit</b> Iowa Lakes Community College	ILCC	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640

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April 6, 2016	<b>SIA 2.0 Institute III Webinar</b> <a href="#">Registration</a>	Online 1-2:00pm	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640
April 21 and 22, 2016	<b>SIA 2.0 Institute III</b> <i>Lunch Provided</i> <a href="#">Registration link</a>	9:00 am to 3:30 pm TBD	<a href="#">Alex Harris</a> 515-281-3640